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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM TO ADD PROTOCOL SUPPORT FOR NETWORK TRAFFIC TOOLS

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+180	\$
Total Add. Fee	\$

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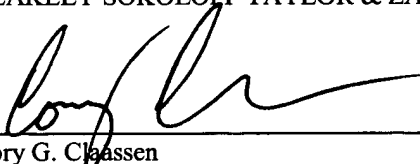
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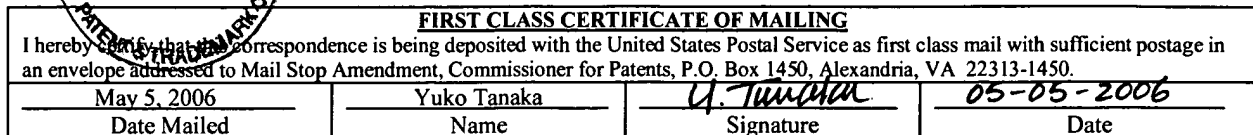
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Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 17, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to consider the following remarks.